



# MIKE DEWINE

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December 20, 2019

Mr. Melvin Bonnell # A204-019  
Chillicothe Correctional Institution  
P.O. Box 5500  
Chillicothe, OH 45601

Dear Mr. Bonnell:

This letter is written to inform you that Governor DeWine has granted a Warrant of Reprieve of your execution scheduled for February 20, 2020, until March 18, 2021. A copy of the Warrant of Reprieve accompanies this letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sarah V. Ackman".

Sarah V. Ackman  
Deputy Legal Counsel

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Enclosure

cc: Trayce Thalheimer, Chair, Ohio Parole Board  
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